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AMCONSUL RIO DE JANEIRO

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SUBJECT: NSF PROPOSAL TO ESTABLISH REGIONAL OFFICER
FOR LATIN AMERICA IN RIO DE JANEIRO

REF: STATE 03970

1. MISSION WOULD WELCOME AND STRONGLY SUPPORT ESTABLISHMENT OF NSF REGIONAL OFFICE IN RIO. RIO IS A MAJOR CENTER FOR GOVERNMENTAL AND PRIVATE FACILITIES IN THE AREAS OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY. WITH ITS EXTENSIVE AIR LINKS TO OTHER LA COUNTRIES, RIO WOULD BE AN IDEAL CHOICE FOR THIS OFFICE.

2. AN NSF LA REGIONAL OFFICE, WORKING WITH OTHER ELEMENTS OF THE POSTS -- SCIATT, USIS (POSSIBLY AS AN ALTERNATE MEMBER OF FULBRIGHT COMMISSION), AND AID -- WOULD ENHANCE EFFORTS FOR DEVELOPING

EXCHANGE PROGRAMS EMPHASIZING SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY. WITH PARTICULAR REFERENCE TO BRAZIL, SUCH AN OFFICE WOULD HAVE ADVANTAGES IN STRENGTHENING THE MISSION'S POST AID LINKAGES PROGRAM BY PROVIDING AN ADDITIONAL AVENUE FOR FUTURE SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL RELATIONSHIPS.

3. ADMINISTRATIVELY: OTHER THAN THE LOGISTICAL DIFFICULTY OF
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TAXING AN ALREADY INADEQUATE MOTOR POOL IN TIO, EMBASSY DOES NOT

REPEAT NOT PERCEIVE ANY INSURMOUNTABLE PROBLEMS IN ESTABLISHING
THIS OFFICE WITHIN EXISTING CONGEN RIO FACILITIES.
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